

SWEET POTATO PLANTS FOR 1960

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This year we are offering plants only of the two varieties which have proven to be the best in their group - the GEORGIA RED variety for storage, and the EARLY SWEET for fresh consumption. A short description of these two varieties follows:

GEORGIA RED - A red-skinned variety released in 1955 by the Georgia Coastal Plains Experiment Station, which produces an abundance of well shaped potatoes of excellent eating quality. It has a beautiful red skin and keeps better in storage than all commonly grown varieties. It is rapidly becoming the favorite variety of the sweet potato market and is bringing premium prices.

EARLY SWEET - A new variety released by the Georgia Coastal Plains Experiment Station. It is the earliest of all sweet potato varieties and will produce a full crop in 90 days from planting. A tremendous yielder of smooth, beautifully shaped potatoes, it has a deep orange flesh color and has a wonderful eating quality even when freshly dug. We recommend that this variety be grown only on very light sandy soils of relatively low nitrogen content and that it be harvested from 90 to 100 days or less after planting. We recommend Early Sweet as a variety to be grown for the early market, and in those northern sections of the country where the growing season is very short.

Because of susceptibility to disease we are temporarily discontinuing the sale of Bunch Porto Rico plants until we can build up some disease free seed. We will continue to ship only individually selected healthy and vigorous plants.

Our prices delivered to you are as follows:

VIA PARCEL POST

100	\$ 1.55
200	2.40
500	4.25
1000	6.95

VIA RAILWAY EXPRESS

2000	\$ 13.00
5000	30.00
10,000	57.50

We pay postage and express. Write or call us for prices on 100,000 or more plants.

In order to insure delivery at the exact time you desire, we advise that you place your order as soon as possible. Please fill out the order blank below and place it in the enclosed envelope for mailing.

ORDER BLANK

To: LEELAND FARMS
Leesburg, Georgia

:Please do not write in
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:Check _____
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:Money Order _____

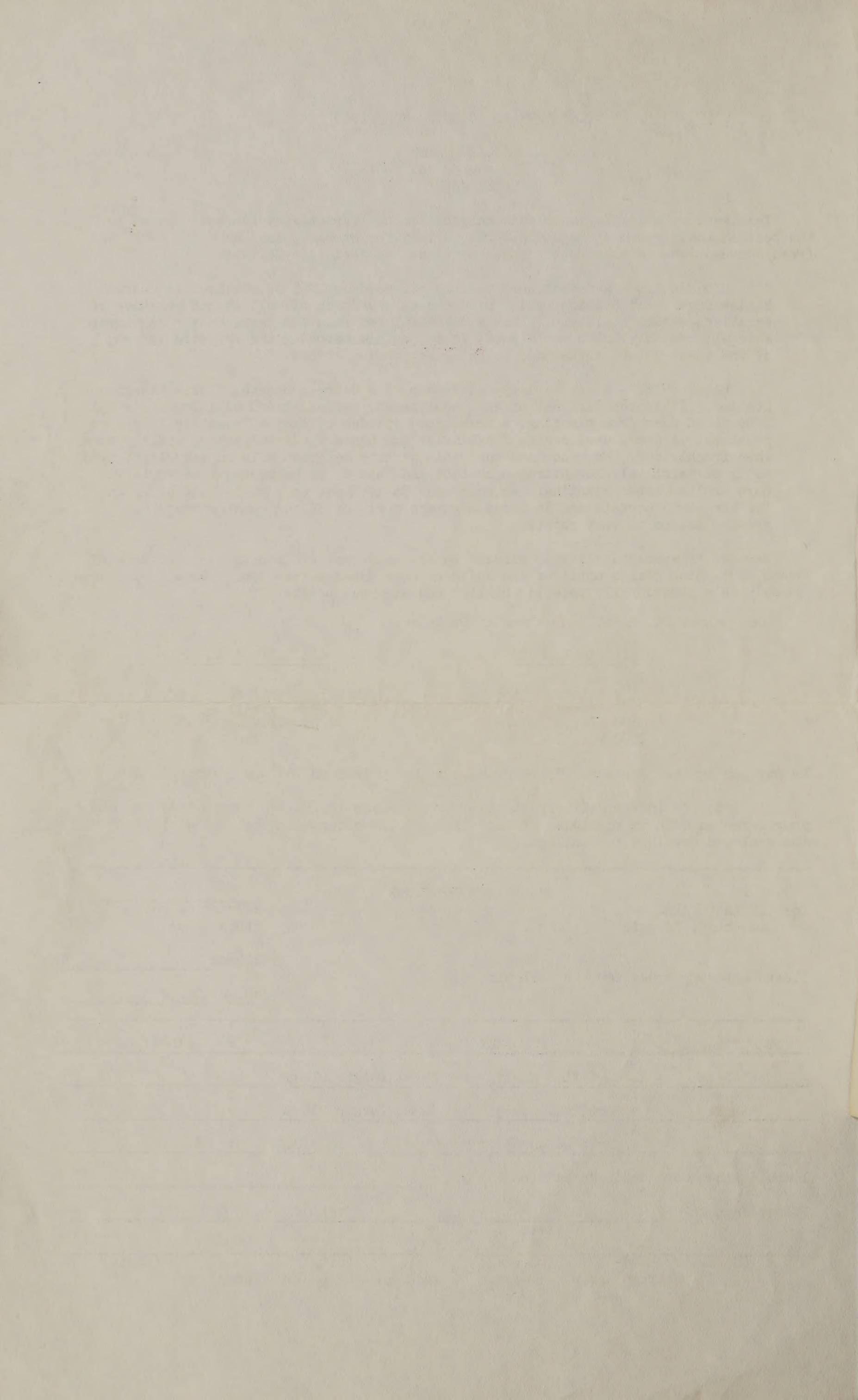
Please enter my order for the following:

QUANTITY	ITEM	AMOUNT
:		:
:	Certified Early Sweet Sweet Potato Plants	:
:	Certified Georgia Red Sweet Potato Plants	:
:	Enclosed check or money order	TOTAL : \$

I would like above order shipped on or about _____

Please ship to _____
(Name)

(Street or RFD) (P.O. Box) (City) (State)
(This order is subject to acceptance by Leeland Farms)



CHINESE CHESTNUT SEEDLINGS

WHOLESALE PRICE LIST
(Effective February 1, 1960)

LEELAND FARMS
Leesburg, Georgia

We have an exceptionally fine lot of 1 year old whips and 2 year old branched seedlings of the Peter Lui strain of Chinese chestnuts. (It is from this strain that the three USDA varieties - Nanking, Meiling and Kuling - originated.) We undercut the 1 year seedlings and dig the 2 year seedlings by hand which assures trees with fine root systems. These trees can be dug fresh all through our winter season and can be dug and shipped on short notice. Orders booked for delivery after March 1, will be dug as late as possible and held in cold storage until the shipping date.

We quote the following prices:

AGE	SIZE	Minimum number trees each shipment:				
		50	100	500	1000	5000
1 YEAR (Whips)	12/18"	18¢ ea.	16¢ ea.	15¢ ea.	14¢ ea.	13¢ ea.
	18/24"	22¢	20¢	19¢	18¢	17¢
	2/3"	25¢	23¢	22¢	21¢	20¢
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2 YEAR (Branched)	2/3"	40¢	38¢	36¢	33¢	30¢
	3/4"	45¢	43¢	41¢	38¢	35¢
	4/5"	50¢	48¢	46¢	43¢	40¢
	5/6"	60¢	58¢	56¢	53¢	50¢
	6/7"	70¢	68¢	66¢	63¢	60¢

These prices are quoted F.O.B. our shipping point; no packing charge.

We will welcome the opportunity of serving you. Write us for further details, if needed. Make your estimates of trees needed for the spring rush and let us get the trees to you before the planting season opens in your section. These trees have been proven hardy even to southern Canada. They make good shade trees and the nuts are excellent eating.

Best wishes for a good season.

Very truly yours,

LEELAND FARMS

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